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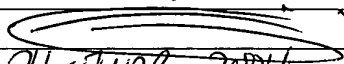
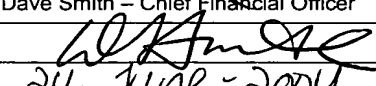
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STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

Applicant/Patent Owner: Stephen A. Campbell

Application No./Patent No.: 10/802,406

Filed/Issue Date: March 17, 2004

Entitled: PLATINUM ALLOY CATALYSTS FOR ELECTROCHEMICAL FUEL CELLS

Ballard Power Systems Inc.

(Name of Assignee)

a

Corporation

(Type of Assignee, e.g., corporation, partnership, university, government agency, etc.)

states that it is:

1. ☒ the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest; or

2. ☐ an assignee of an undivided part interest

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A. ☒ An assignment from the inventor(s) of the patent application/patent identified above.

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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

24-June-2004
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Noordin S.K. Nanji

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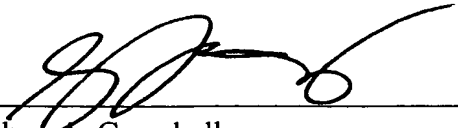
WHEREAS, I, Stephen A. Campbell (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR), having a mailing address of 23880 – 119th Avenue, Maple Ridge, British Columbia, Canada V4R 2E6, am the sole inventor of an invention entitled “PLATINUM ALLOY CATALYSTS FOR ELECTROCHEMICAL FUEL CELLS,” as described and claimed in the specification for which an application for United States letters patent was filed on March 17, 2004, and assigned Application No. 10/802,406. This application claims the benefit of Provisional Application No. 60/456,250, filed on March 19, 2003, and Provisional Application No. 60/467,653, filed May 1, 2003.

WHEREAS, Ballard Power Systems Inc. (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), a corporation of Canada having a place of business at 4343 North Fraser Way, Burnaby, British Columbia, Canada V5J 5J9, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention and in and to any letters patent that may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR hereby sells, assigns and transfers unto said ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any and all letters patent which may be granted for said invention in the United States of America and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries, and in any and all divisions, reissues and continuations thereof, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of ASSIGNEE and to claim priority rights deriving from said United States application to which said foreign applications are entitled by virtue of international convention, treaty or otherwise, said invention, application and all letters patent on said invention to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE and its successors and assigns for their use and benefit and of their successors and assigns as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNOR had this assignment, transfer and sale not been made. ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all letters patent on said invention to ASSIGNEE. ASSIGNOR agrees to execute all instruments and documents required for the making and prosecution of applications for United States and foreign letters

patent on said invention, for litigation regarding said letters patent, or for the purpose of protecting title to said invention or letters patent therefor.

16th June 2004
Date


Stephen A. Campbell

Province of British Columbia)
)
Country of Canada) ss.

I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that Stephen A. Campbell is the person who appeared before me, and said person acknowledged that he signed this instrument and acknowledged it to be his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.

Dated June 16, 2004

Signature of
Notary Public 

Printed Name VICTOR TUOMI

My appointment does not expire.